

The Sinclair broadcasting mess is just the tip of the iceberg. It is time to break up every electronic "news" and entertainment network into the smallest constituent parts possible. One owner, one market; no interlocking directorships with other media, banks, financial institutions, newspapers, or industries; establish a federal organization in the U.S. analogous to the BBC or the CBC. In other words, destroy the network corporations that are doing incredible harm to our nation. And get those damn commercials off the air, particularly those touting prescription medications. All TV & radio stations must devote one hour of ad-free prime time to public interest programming. If commercial ads are still allowed, no more than four minutes per hour should be allocated to product propaganda.